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House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515-4315

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The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, D.C.20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C.20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Public Safety Complex project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Brooks County, located at 100 E. Miller Street, Falfurrias, TX, 78355.

The funding would be used for the construction of a public safety facility. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it helps provide a new facility for first responders.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Monica De La Cruz Member of Congress 15th Congressional District